

the previous Federal fiscal year's average total JOBS cost per participant per month of participation.

(2) The average total cost data in the table must separately state:

(i) For pre-component activity: assessment and related testing, employability development planning, and associated administrative and case management costs;

(ii) For each component: component costs, and associated administrative and case management costs;

(d) A State IV-A agency must submit any other information that the Secretary determines necessary.

(e) Until October 1, 1991, or until sample based reporting is implemented, whichever is later, the State must submit such interim aggregate hardcopy reports as are required by the Secretary.

§ 250.81 State data systems options.

(a) A State IV-A agency may integrate its JOBS Automated System (JAS) with an existing or planned title IV-A system. A State IV-A agency may also use a stand-alone system. Either option must be a client-based information system capable of:

(1) Producing at a minimum all data elements required in § 250.82; and

(2) Accepting referrals and exchanging data electronically with the title IV-A automated system and, the title IV-D automated system unless this exchange is otherwise met through the interface with the IV-A system.

(b)(1) Title IV-A funding is available for planning, design, development and implementation of the JOBS interface between title IV-A and title IV-F requirements. The interface of an automated JOBS program with the title IV-A system, for verification of eligibility and reconciliation of data, includes planning, design, development and implementation of title IV-A systems to:

(i) Manage information on eligibility factors and target group membership;

(ii) Effect notifications and referrals including non-cooperation;

(iii) Check records of applicants and recipients on a periodic basis with other agencies to verify continued eligibility; and

(iv) Notify appropriate officials when a recipient ceases to be eligible.

(2) If the JAS interfaces with an existing or planned FAMIS-type system and all FAMIS requirements are met, title IV-A FFP at 90 percent is available. Otherwise interface expenditures are matched at 50 percent under title IV-A.

(c) JOBS funding is available at a 50 percent administrative rate for the acquisition and development of the remainder of the JAS, subject to the requirements of § 205.35 through § 205.38. This excludes the JOBS interface with the title IV-A system, but includes all other input, maintenance and reporting of those data elements required in § 250.82 that cannot be obtained from the title IV-A system through the JOBS interface. A cost allocation plan must be approved to share the cost among all Federal and State programs benefiting from the State's JAS.

(d) Administrative funding under either title IV-A or title IV-F for systems design, development, and implementation must comply with the requirements of § 95.601, *et seq.*

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§ 250.82 Required case record data.

(a) The State IV-A agency must maintain an individual case record for each JOBS participant.

(1) For the purposes of this section, a JOBS participant is an individual who is:

(i) Actively engaged in assessment or employability planning during the month; or

(ii) Assigned to a component, including self-initiated education or training pursuant to § 250.48(a).

(2) To the extent the State IV-A agency's JAS can access the required data in the required form from other systems, duplicate entry is to be avoided.

(b) The minimum data required are:

(1) Case identifier other than Social Security Number, but the State must maintain in its files a link between the identifier and the SSN;

(2) Date of birth;

(3) Program status and exemption code;

(4) Youngest child's date of birth;

(5) Date of most recent AFDC opening;

(6) Number of months within the most recent 60 months of receipt of AFDC;

(7) Education level (highest grade completed) and date completed;

(8) Literacy level, but only when the State elects to determine a literacy level;

(9) Target group codes to identify which of the target groups specified in § 250.1 an individual was a member of, if any, at the time of entry into JOBS, and the date of entry;

(10) Identifier for a person not exempt, because the State elected to reduce the age of youngest child exemption to less than age three, or because the State elected to require participation of the second parent in a UP case where the second parent would otherwise be exempt for meeting the requirements of § 250.30(b)(9);

(11) Assignment status: scheduled hours, and beginning and ending dates, for each of the following that apply:

(i) Assessment and employability development planning;

(ii) Each JOBS component, including separate identification for self-initiated education or training, pursuant to § 250.48(a);

(iii) Job status, including date of job entry;

(12) Identifier indicating that the individual satisfactorily participated in the JOBS program, as defined at § 250.78, during the month, but only for sampled cases described in § 250.80;

(13) Amount of supportive services, other than child care, paid during the month;

(14) Amount of child care payment for the month;

(15) Type of child care;

(16) Such additional data as the Secretary may from time to time specify in an Action Transmittal or in reporting instructions.

Subpart J—Operation of JOBS Programs by Indian Tribes and Alaska Native Organizations

§ 250.90 Scope and purpose.

The purpose of an Indian Tribe or Alaska Native organization JOBS program is to assure that Tribal (refers to both an Indian Tribe and Alaska Native organization) members receiving

AFDC obtain the education, training and employment services they need to avoid long-term dependency. Tribal grantees are subject to all the regulations under part 250, unless otherwise indicated in this subpart, and regulations under parts 255, 74, and 92, which include general funding and disallowance and termination provisions for Federal programs.

§ 250.91 Eligible Indian Tribe and Alaska Native organization grantees.

Funds shall be allotted to operate a JOBS program pursuant to § 250.71 to groups meeting the following eligibility standards:

(a) An Indian Tribe, defined as any Tribe, band, nation, or other organized group or community of Indians which:

(1) Is federally recognized as eligible for the special programs and services provided by the United States Government to Indians because of their status as Indians; and

(2) Has a reservation, which means Indian reservation, public domain Indian allotment, or former Indian reservation in Oklahoma.

(b) A consortium or Tribal organization representing more than one Tribe if each participating member Tribe meets the eligibility requirements for JOBS as defined in paragraph (a) of this section and if such consortium or organization meets the following criteria:

(1) All the participating members must be in geographic proximity to one another. However, a consortium may operate in more than one State;

(2) The consortium must demonstrate that it has the managerial, technical or administrative staff with the ability to properly administer government funds, manage a JOBS program, and comply with the provisions of the Statute and of the regulations;

(3) The consortium must submit with its JOBS application a resolution from each participating Tribe authorizing the consortium to receive JOBS funds on behalf of each Tribe in its JOBS program.

(c) An Alaska Native organization including any Alaska Native village, or regional or village corporation eligible to operate a Federal program under